

Amendment No. 1 to SJR0057

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AMEND Senate Joint Resolution No. 57*

by deleting all language after the caption and substituting instead the following:

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED TENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that a majority of all the members of each house concurring, as shown by the yeas and nays entered on their journals, that it is proposed that Article VI, Section 5, of the Constitution of Tennessee be amended by deleting the first sentence and by substituting instead the following:

At the November 2024 general election and every four years thereafter, an attorney general for the state shall be popularly elected by the qualified voters of the state and shall hold office for a term of four years and until a successor is elected and qualified. Until the November 2024 general election, the Justices of the Supreme Court shall retain power to fill any vacancy arising in the office of attorney general. The attorney general shall be at least thirty years of age, shall be a citizen of the United States, shall be an attorney duly licensed in this state, and shall have been a citizen of this state at least five years immediately preceding the election. No person shall be eligible for election as attorney general for more than two four-year terms.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the foregoing be referred to the One Hundred Eleventh General Assembly and that this resolution proposing such amendment be published in accordance with Article XI, Section 3 of the Constitution of Tennessee.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the clerk of the Senate is directed to deliver a copy of this resolution to the secretary of state.